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- a. ☐ The amendment to claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_, fails to comply with the provisions of 37CFR 1.121 and is accordingly held to be non-responsive. A supplemental paper correcting the informal portions and complying with the rule is required.
- b. ☐ The paper is unsigned. A duplicate paper or ratification, properly signed, is required.
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- e. ☐ Other
2. ☐ In accordance with applicant's request, *THE PERIOD FOR RESPONSE IS EXTENDED TO RUN* \_\_\_\_\_ *MONTH(S) FROM THE OFFICE ACTION DATED* \_\_\_\_\_.
- No further extension will be granted unless approved by the Commissioner. 37CFR 1.136 (b).
3. ☐ This application is being forwarded to Abandoned Files Unit in view of:
- a. ☐ The letter of express abandonment which is in compliance with 37CFR 1.138.
- b. ☐ Applicant's failure to file the response received \_\_\_\_\_ within the period set.
4. ☒ All of the claims being allowable, prosecution on the merits is closed in this application and the Notice of Allowance or other appropriate communication will be sent in due course.
- a. In view of:
- i. ☒ Applicant's communication filed August 9, 1979
- ii. ☐ Telephone interview with \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Personal interview with \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☐ An Examiner's Amendment will follow.
- c. ☐ Note attached Notice of References cited, PTO-46-42, (formerly PTO-892).
- d. ☐ The allowed claims are \_\_\_\_\_
5. ☐ Receipt is acknowledged of papers submitted under 35 U.S.C. 119 which papers have been made of record in the file.
6. ☐ Other

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